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THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 22, 1880.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican county convention will hold a Convention at the Court House on Saturday, May 1st, 1880, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the State Convention to be held in Wheeling May 12th, 1880.

Each District of the county is entitled to ten delegates in said County Convention, and the Republican voters are requested to meet on Saturday, April 24th, in the city Districts at 7:30 o'clock P. M., and in the country Districts at 2 o'clock P. M., at the usual voting places in the several Districts, except that in the Third District at Centre School House, in the Second District at the Brick School House, at the head of Wood's Run, and in the Eleventh District at the head of the Mill Run, to appoint delegates to said Convention.

A full delegation from each District is earnestly desired.

Chairman C. E. Com.

R. J. WUNDERLICH, Secretary.

The Republican State Convention—Appointment of Delegates.

A State Convention, to be composed of delegates regularly chosen by the Republican voters of West Virginia at their accustomed places of meeting, is hereby called to meet in the city of Wheeling, on Wednesday, the 12th day of May next, at 10 A. M., to select ten delegates to represent the party in the National Convention to be held in Chicago on Wednesday, the 2nd day of June following, to choose one delegate for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency of the United States.

D. H. WILLARD, Mason County,
J. H. CUNNINGHAM, Kanawha County,
J. T. HICK, Mineral County,
O. G. SCOTT, Boone County,
T. H. LOAN, Ohio County,
G. W. ATKINSON, Ohio County,
A. W. CAMPBELL, Ohio County,
Republican State Committee.
W. J. W. COOPER, Secretary.

The "Salvation Army" is to visit Kentucky.

Another instance of the "eternal fitness of things."

There seems to be some sense of propriety among the Democrats of Louisiana, after all. Akin, of odorous memory, failed to secure a renomination in the Third Louisiana district for a third term in Congress. In 1878 there were two other candidates, a Greenbacker and a Republican, and yet he had over 3,000 majority in the district. Not satisfied with that vindication at the hands of his constituents, he asked for a further expression of confidence in the form of a second renomination. But he did not get it.

The current issue of Harper's Weekly has a graphic full-page illustration of "The Negro Exodus"—the old style and the new. The new style is represented by a group of jovial blacks gathered at the railroad station, well clothed and disposed in comfortable positions, chatting and laughing, awaiting the arrival of the train. The old style has a solitary darkey, half clad in rags, standing in the swamp, the mud to his knees, and his very position telling of desperation, if not despair. It is that of a beast at bay. The pictures speak whole volumes.

The Ohio Democracy.

A Columbus correspondent of the New York Times, who apparently understands what he is talking about, says that Senator Thurman's friends will allow no complimentary voting for him by delegates from Ohio to the Cincinnati Convention who are really, at heart, for another candidate. The principle upon which they proceed is as follows:

The Senator knows that his only hold on the Ohio delegation is through the pardonable State pride which leads a party to support one who has been a faithful and earnest, if not consistent, leader through many hot encounters. He also knows that the majority of Ohio Democrats would be willing to support some other candidate if they could, at the same time, avoid the appearance of having repudiated the venerable statesman to whom party loyalty would mortgage their support. An avenue of escape for these lukewarm friends has been suggested by some one whose interest lies in another direction, and that is to give Mr. Thurman a solid complimentary vote on the first ballot, and then to place the delegation on a basis that will make it effective in naming the nominee of the convention. Whether the emphatic declaration that the Judge will have none of this shall have the effect desired, that of coercing the Ohio delegation into supporting him through thick and thin, remains to be seen.

The prime movers in the complimentary vote project are the Tilden men, who, says the correspondent of the Times, are "far stronger and more numerous than the casual spectators would credit them with being." He predicts that they will carry three-fifths of the Ohio county conventions, and adds:

All of ex-Gov. Bishop's aid will be given to Mr. Tilden without reservation. Personally, Mr. Bishop would not be averse to ally to any cause, but he can bring a powerful influence to bear through some of the best politicians of the State. He has the "inside track" in Hamilton county, and can count on its support. He gathered about him during his two years in Columbus a very able squad of young politicians, who would do anything for him, because they know that he would reciprocate if placed in power. He can command the support of the Evening Star, as it was by Gov. Bishop's direction that the Bishop delegates swung around in time, in last June's State Convention, to nominate Gen. Ewing rather than (Gen. Rice, who was Mr. Thurman's choice for the head of the ticket. The trouble that arose then stands in Senator Thurman's way now, as it was openly declared last summer and fall that the Thurman influence was so feebly wielded in behalf of the ticket that more damage than good resulted. It is no stretch of fancy to say that Mr. Thurman has no hold on the support of Ohio, except so far as he may be allowed to toy with the delegation during the preliminary scoring.

His present visit to Ohio, therefore, is parallel with that of Secretary Sherman a few weeks ago. He will find that while he was absent the enemy came in and sowed tares to the right and left, and that the faithfulness of the soil gave a ready growth.

Mr. Tilden's Record.

Mr. Faulkner assured his convention yesterday that Mr. Tilden is one of the soundest Democrats that ever lived, and that as a constitutional lawyer he is without a superior. We are not aware of the existence of any State paper which proves Mr. Tilden's right to be called a great constitutional lawyer, and were furthermore in doubt about his right to be called a "sound Democrat." Mr. Faulkner would hardly call Mr. Tilden's immense fees for small services to railroads, his transactions in iron mines, his refusal to pay his taxes and his maintenance of a bureau for instruction in the art of writing official tele-

grams, in proof of the soundness of his Democracy. Mr. Tilden, strictly speaking, should be called a Tilden Democrat.

Crop Information.

N. Y. Commercial Bulletin.

If what we hear from some quarters at the West is true, as to the condition and prospects of the crops, the present tone of the grain markets at the East is incomprehensible. Unfortunately, however, there are such wide contradictions in the Western reports that they cannot be depended upon; and the dealers at this centre undoubtedly prefer to trust to their own private sources of information. There is, however, a large interested class to whom these private advices are not accessible, and to them the incongruous reports that come through some of the Western papers is very confusing.

As an illustration of this loose information, we may take the Chicago Tribune of the 17th inst., which devotes some two columns to reports from various points respecting the "coming crops." The account opens with a letter from a correspondent writing from Washington, Iowa, who says he has spent two months in passing through every county in Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, for the purpose of inspecting the condition of the crops. He says the "outlook at present is far from flattering." "There is no longer any doubt that fully one-half, if not three-fourths, of the winter wheat in the Western States." "Kansas is probably in the worst condition of any of the Western States. The farmers have nothing left but to plough up their wheat fields and plant them to oats and corn."

"Nebraska farmers will not do any more seeding this year than last, notwithstanding the increased number of farms that have been opened up." "There will not be one-fourth crop of winter wheat in Missouri and Iowa. Both States are in about the same condition in this respect." "This is the gist of this correspondent's account, interlarded with a great deal of emphatic description of the desperate condition of the farmers."

These startling accounts are followed by a series of independent dispatches from various points, with which it may be well to make a comparison. Two of the four States of which the correspondent speaks as having sustained a loss of three-fourths of their winter wheat are not winter wheat States. According to the last census, Iowa produced only one bushel of winter wheat in 1877, and a similar rule applied to Nebraska, which in 1877 raised less than 6,000,000 bushels of wheat. Missouri is really a winter grain State, and produced in 1877, 20,000,000 bushels of winter and spring combined. Kansas is about evenly divided between spring and winter, and raised, in 1877, 14,400,000 bushels. So that granting all the correspondent claims as to these four States, it would not amount to a very serious matter in its relation to the wheat crop of the country.

So far as respects Kansas specifically, the Tribune gives dispatches from twenty-one counties, in which the whole fall crop of 1879 is estimated at 1,000,000 bushels, a statement as to the condition of winter wheat in that State; about one-half speaking in reasonably favorable terms, while the other half are despondent. It would seem, however, that there is little in the condition of the winter crop of Kansas which might not be largely remedied by an early arrival of growing weather.

As to Missouri, the Tribune has two dispatches only; one of which, from Boone county, says: "Prospects for winter wheat better than last spring," while the other, from St. Francis county, reports: "winter wheat has never looked better, acreage 20 per cent better than last year."

These accounts, so far as they go, are strongly at variance with the gloomy statements of the Tribune's Iowa correspondent. This correspondent's general statement that "4, if not 5, of the winter wheat in all the Western States is a failure"—in all the Western States is a failure?—is equally inconsistent with the Tribune's other accounts. Five dispatches are given from counties in Illinois, four of which present most flattering accounts of the condition of winter wheat, as will be seen from the following report:

Clay City, Clay Co., April 16.—Winter wheat 200 per cent better than at this time last year.

Asmussen, Coles Co., April 16.—Winter wheat all right, and prospects good for a heavy crop.

Sturtevant, Shelby Co., April 16.—Winter wheat looking well, except on low ground. Acreage one-fourth larger than last season.

Mixen, Tazewell Co., April 16.—Winter wheat improved greatly within the last two weeks. Probably as much alive as last spring.

Sterling, Whiteside Co., April 16.—Winter wheat mostly killed. Average acreage of spring wheat down.

From Indiana, which in 1877 yielded 25,000,000 bushels, one dispatch only is given, which reports, "winter wheat 20 per cent better than last year, largest acreage ever sown." From Ohio, which gave 25,000,000 bushels in 1877, a dispatch says, "have had very cold and freezing weather, hard to tell yet what effect will be on wheat; it is very different from last year's crop, which was a failure." From Michigan, a dispatch is given, dated from a county at the extreme north of the grain-growing section of the State, which says, "Wheat does not look as well as last season on account of frosty nights. Acreage one-half more than last season."

Thus it will be seen that the Tribune's own dispatches, from local points, for the most part directly contradict the statements made by its Iowa correspondent, who claims to have traveled two months for the express purpose of ascertaining the condition of the crops. Equally are those statements opposed to the April report of the Department of Agriculture, which gives a favorable condition of Western wheat in 1879, the same as at this period of 1878, and estimates the increase in acreage as 13 per cent, compared with last year. We have called attention to these discrepancies because they represent a great deal of the same sort of thing in Western newspaper reports of the condition of the crops, and because they show an evident desire in some quarters to put a coloring on the crop prospects that facts do not justify. Taking the winter wheat crop as a whole, we should conclude, from the general tenor of Western newspaper reports and from the detailed accounts sent by the Tribune crop correspondent, that the condition is about an average one and that the acreage is above an average.

FIFTY years ago Commodore Patterson, commander of the naval forces of the United States in Louisiana, led an expedition against Jean Lafitte, the Chief of Barataria Island, attacked the 500 men found there and captured the seven small vessels which were drawn up in miniature battle array. It has been thought in New Orleans that Lafitte was a freer trader and pirate, and many sensational stories of his adventures have been published. The Pionnier has discovered among the dusty records of the United States District Court an account of the battle of Barataria Island, and has published the details of the capture of the 500 men and the capture of the seven small vessels, containing evidence that Lafitte made his captures under the Carthaginian flag and was in communication with Carthage.

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Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure will positively cure Bright's Disease and Diabetes; and it is guaranteed that it will also cure 90 per cent of other kidney diseases, 95 per cent of all liver diseases, and will help in every case without injury to the system; when taken according to directions, and the sum of \$1,000 will be paid to any person who can prove that it has failed to do this.

A Capital Ticket.

Springfield Republican.

A Garfield boom is shaping itself in Ohio along the Western Reserve. Nothing could be better. Edmunds and Garfield, now, would make a capital ticket.

BARAJEE TULSIKAR is a poor athlete in India. He is tall, soldierly and 77 years old. He recently gave an exhibition at Bombay before a private house. Between the palms of his hands he ground some shells to powder; placed a coconut on the head of a boy, and with apparently a tremendous blow scattered the milk and shell of the nut in all directions; put a stout beetle leaf between his fingers, which he used like scissors and cut it in two, sending the halves into the air; and allowing a bystander to hold a scimiter, he struck a sugar cane against its edge so that one of the pieces went 100 feet high.

MARRIED.

PALMER-SWENEY.—On Wednesday, April 21, 1880, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. J. H. George, Dr. David Palmer, of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Miss M. S. Sweeney, of this city. No cards.

DIED.

DUNAWAY.—On Tuesday evening, April 20, 1880, CHARLES R. DUNAWAY, aged 23 years and 8 months.

Funeral this (Thursday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 113 Eleventh street. Interment at the Pensylvania Cemetery.

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J. H. SCHULTZ.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

DEPARTURES OF TRAINS—WHEELING TIME.

	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
B. & O. R. R.	6:30	10:30	6:00
Cent. O. Div.	8:00	4:00	11:15
W. P. & A. Div.	8:40	1:40	8:00
Cent. & P. M.	6:10	A. M.	7:00
P. C. & St. L.	7:00	P. M.	8:15

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.

	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
B. & O. R. R.	9:00	6:00	11:00
Cent. O. Div.	11:20	8:40	7:15
W. P. & A. Div.	10:20	6:00	7:00
Cent. & P. M.	12:30	8:40	8:00
P. C. & St. L.	8:20	11:15	7:15

*Triumphal Accommodation.—This train only runs between Wheeling and Triadelphia.

*Daily except Sunday—Triumphal Accommodation.

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TIME TABLE.

Wheeling and Elm Grove Railroad.

On and after MONDAY, February 16, 1880, cars on the Wheeling and Elm Grove R. R. will run as follows: Cars will leave the city (corner Market and Eleventh streets) and Hawthorn Park at

	6:15 A. M.	11:30 A. M.	4:30 P. M.
"	7:30 "	12:30 "	6:15 "
"	8:15 "	1:30 "	6:55 "
"	8:45 "	2:15 "	7:25 "
"	9:15 "	2:45 "	8:00 "
"	10:15 "	3:45 "	9:00 "
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*Sundays excepted.

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Seated Reserved Seats will begin at C. Y. Lucas' Music Store Saturday morning, April 24. Admission, Parquet and Dress Circle, \$1.00; no extra charge for Reserved Seats. Family Circle, 50 cents. Boxes, 75 cents.

DISSOLUTION.

The firm of Houston & Beer, Wholesale Druggists, was dissolved by mutual consent of the partners, the office of the firm being settled by either partner at the office of the new firm of Houston & Bingham.

J. M. HOUSTON, M. A. BINGHAM.

WHEELING, W. VA., April 1, 1880.

Notice of Copartnership.

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